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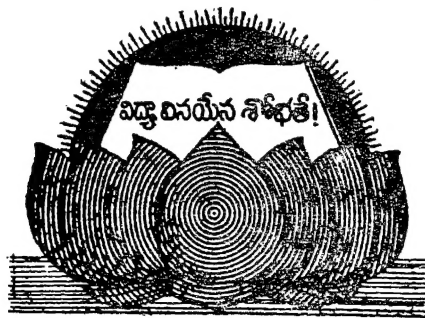
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మొండు మాట విద్యార్థులకు ఒక వివరణ

అంగ్లభాష బాగా వ్రాయటానికి, మాట్లాడటానికి మనము చెప్పే అర్థము ప్రస్తుతము కావటానికి 'IDIOMS' (జాతీయములు) ఎంతో సహాయపడతాయి.

ఉదాహరణకు "వాళ్ళెప్పుడూ ఒక్కొక్క మీద మరొకళ్ళు కత్తులు చూసుకొంటుంటారు" అని చెప్పవలసిన వాక్యాన్ని "They are always at daggers drawn" అనే వాక్యములో "కయ్యానికి కాలు దువ్వుతుంటారు" "At daggers drawn" 'IDIOM' వాడుటము చేత, అర్థము దాదాపుగా స్పష్టముగా చెప్పట సాధ్యమైనది.

"at daggers drawn" అనే 'IDIOM' కొన్ని పదముల కలయిక వలన ఒక విశేషర్థాన్ని ఇస్తున్నది. ఐతే ఆ పదాలకు విడివిడిగా చూస్తే వచ్చే అర్థము వేరు.

కాబట్టి 'IDIOM' is an expression of language, peculiar to one particular country, district or group of people అని నిమంటువులు నిర్వచిస్తున్నాయి.

సంస్కృతములో, తెలుగులో వున్నట్టే-ఇంగ్లీష్ లో కూడా అనేక జాతీయాలు వున్నాయి. కానీ ప్రతి తెలుగు లేక అంగ్ల జాతీయానికి దాదాపుగా సమానార్థము వచ్చే జాతీయాలు ఇతర భాషల్లో లభించవచ్చు. కొన్నిటికి లభించకపోవచ్చు. తెలుగులో "అది ఒట్టి కాకమ్మకథ" అనే వాక్యములో వున్న 'కాకమ్మకథ'కు "a cock and bull story" అనే 'IDIOM' దాదాపు సమానార్థాన్ని ఇస్తుంది.

అతను వైద్యానికి "మరీ చివరి నిమిషములో" వచ్చాడు- అనే తెలుగు వాక్యాన్ని "He came for treatment in the eleventh hour" అనే వాక్యములో వాడిన "In the eleventh hour" అనే 'IDIOM' ద్వారా బలముగా చెప్పటము సాధ్యమైనది.

భాషకు- పటత్వము, శక్తి, జిగి-బిగి వున్నప్పుడే అది మంచి

'STYLE' వున్న భాష బోతుంది. 'IDIOMS & PHRASES' అనేవి అలాంటి 'STYLE' ని భాషకు సంతరించిపెడతాయి.

"PHRASE" అనగా సంపూర్ణ వాక్యముకాని పదసముదాయము. అది వాక్యములో భాగము. "Phrasal Verbs" అనేవి-verb preposition" లేక "Verb+Adverb" లో ఏర్పడే 'IDIOMS'. వీటి అర్థము సక్రమముగా తెలిసికొని, సరైన సందర్భములో వాడితేనేకానీ, మనము చెప్పదలచిన అర్థము రాదు.

ఉదాహరణకు 'take after' అనే 'phrasal verb' కు 'పోలి వుండు' అని-అర్థము. కానీ వాటికి ఏడి ఏడి పదాలుగా వున్న అర్థము వేరు. 'ఈ అమ్మాయిది వాళ్ళ అమ్మ పోలిక' అనటానికి 'This girl takes after her mother' అనే వాక్యము వాడాలి. వాక్య నిర్మాణ ములో వుండే కాల నిర్ణయాన్నిబట్టి అర్థమునకు అనుకూలముగా-TENSE చూర్చుకోవచ్చును.

ఉదా : This girl took after her mother (ఇక్కడ past Tense లో వాక్యరచన చేయబడినది)

'IDIOMS' ను వాడేటప్పుడు, కేవలము కర్త, కర్మలను చేర్చి సంతమాత్రాన-అర్థము తగినంతగా చెప్పినట్లు కాదు.

ఉదా : 'లోటు లేనంత' అనే అర్థములో Gopal has money 'enough and spare' అనే వాక్యము కంటే-

Gopal has money enough and spare as he is the only child of his rich parents అనే వాక్యము బాగుంటుంది.

మంచి ఇంగ్లీష్ 'STYLE' కోసము మంచి ఇంగ్లీష్ వ్రాసే రచయితల రచనలు చదువుట వాళ్ళ వాడిన IDIOMS & PHRASES గుర్తు పెట్టుకొని, అలాంటి మాదిరి వాక్కారే మనమూ వాడుతూ- మేము ఈ పుస్తకములో ఇచ్చిన 'IDIOMS & PHRASES' ని నిత్యమూ అధ్యయనము చేయటముద్వారా మీరూ మీ అంగ్లభాషా నైపుణ్యాన్ని పెంపొందించుకోగలరు.

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Idioms & Phrases

—A—

1. **As far as possible** (*To the extent possible*)

వీలైనంతవఱకు

Ex. **As far as possible** we must help the poor.

2. **At arms' length** (*at a distance*)

తగినంత దూరములో వుంచు

Ex. It is better to keep bad people **at arms' length**.

3. **A B C of anything** (*Elementary knowledge*)

ప్రాథమిక పరిజ్ఞానము

Ex. The minister does not know the **A B C** of the subject.

4. **After all** (*After all that has happened*)

అది, ఎంత, ఎంతైనా

Ex. **After all**, what does it matter ?

5. **Above all** (*Above everything else*)

అన్నింటికీ మించి

Ex. Tagore is **above all** a great poet.

6. **Abide by** (*To act upon*)

కట్టుబడివుండు

Ex. He **abides by** his promise.

7. **Accuse of** (*blame*)

నేరారోపణచేయు

Ex. He is **accused** of theft.

8. **Accustom to** (*Make use*)

అలవాటుపడు

Ex. He is **accustomed** to bad habits.

9. At any cost (*at any expense or loss*)

ఏ విధముగానైనను

Ex. We must save our country **at any cost**.

10. Agree to (*accept*)

ఒప్పుకొను

Ex. I **agree to** your proposal.

11. As soon as (*immediately*)

వెంటనే

Ex. **As soon as** the bell rang the teacher entered the class.

12. Addict to (*Person who is given up to bad habit*)

వ్యసనములకు అలవాటుపడ్డవాడు

Ex. He is addicted to smoking.

13. At one's wit's end (*Completely puzzled*)

కలవరపడు

Ex. The thief was **at his wit's end** when he saw the police.

14. At the height of (*utmost degree*)

ఉన్నతస్థితిలో

Ex. India was **at the height of** its glory when Gandhi led the nation.

15. At the eleventh hour (*at the very last moment*)

చివరి క్షణములో

Ex. He came to the doctor **at the eleventh hour**.

16. At a loss (*to fail to*)

ఏమి చేయుటయో తోచని స్థితి

Ex. I am **at a loss** to answer the question.

17. As well as (*and*)

మరియు

Ex. He knows Hindi **as well as** English.

18. A bed of roses (a very agreeable position)

పూల పడక

Ex. The position of a ruler is no longer a bed of roses.

19. A twice told tale (a story which is well known to all)

అందఱికి తెలిసిన కథ-పాత పురాణము

Ex. The Mahabharatha is a twice told tale.

20. a tight squeeze (over crowded train or bus)

క్రిక్కిరిసిన

Ex. Any train appears in a tight squeeze.

21. a burning question (a subject that is keenly discussed)

తీవ్ర సమస్య

Ex. The problem of SriLanka is a burning question.

22. a fish out of water (to be an uncomfortable position)

Ex. The new student is like a fish out of water in his convent.

23. at stake (at risk)

ప్రమాదములోపడు

Ex. The reputation of the minister is at stake.

24. at random (with out any aim)

ఒక క్రమము లేకుండా

Ex. The mad girl talks at random.

25. Axe to grind (have private interests to serve)

వ్యక్తిగత లాభము

Ex. Each man has his own axe to grind.

26. At daggers drawn (enemity)

శతృత్వము

Ex. Rama and Krishna are always at daggers drawn

27. **At one's fingers' ends** (*to be thorough in so subject*)

ఒక విషయములో మంచి ప్రావీణ్యత వుండు

Ex. As he prepared well, the subject is **at his fingers' ends**.

28. **A bird's eye-view-** (*a general study*)

సంక్షిప్తముగా తెలిసికొను

Ex. Let us have **a bird's eye view** of the new subject

29. **A bone of contention** (*cause for a quarrel*)

తగవుకు కారణము

Ex. Some part of Kashmir is the **bone of contention** between India and Pakistan.

30. **an air of success** (*to look successful*)

ఆనందోత్సాహము

Ex. When a poor student answers all questions **an air of success** is seen in his face)

31. **aware of** (*know*)

తెలిసికొను

Ex. We must be **aware of** the plans of our enemies

32. **a pretty penny** (*a lot of amount*)

చాలా డబ్బు ఖర్చగు

Ex. The new over-bridge will cost **a pretty penny** to the Municipality.

33. **a sharp tongue-** (*to use abusive language*)

కోపముగా మాట్లాడు వ్యక్తి

Ex. The wife of Socrates was known for her **sharp tongue**.

34. **a tall order** (*a request which is difficult to grant*)

తీర్చుటకు వీలులేని కోరిక

Ex. The leaders of the students union have put **a tall order** before the Principal.

35. **a tall story** (*an unrealistic Policy*)

అవాస్తవమైన

Ex. We all know that the land reform policy of the Government is **a tall story**.

—B—

36. **bag of bones** (*a very thin person*)

బక్కపలుచని వ్యక్తి

Ex. After his serious illness Rama has become a **bag of bones**.

37. **bed of thorns** (*uneasy situation*)

ముళ్ళపానుపు

Ex. For some poor people life proves to be a **bed of thorns**.

38. **between the devil and the deep sea** (*in a critical situation*) ముందు నుయ్యి - వెనుక గొయ్యి

Ex. Some unemployed youth are trapped by the foreign agents. Soon they realise that they are **between the devil and the deep sea**.

39. **bear off** (*carry off*)

ఆర్జించు

Ex. In the debating competition Rama **bore off** the first prize.

40. **beyond the measure** (*very highly*)

చాలా ఎక్కువగా

Ex. P. T. Usha was praised **beyond measure** for her success in the Asiad.

41. **body and soul together** (*complete self*)

పూరిగా

Ex. Owing to high prices poor people find it difficult to keep **body and soul together**.

42. **beast of burden** (*an animal to carry loads*)

బరువులు మోయు జంతువు

Ex. An ass is the **beast of burden**.

43. **born with a silver spoon in one's mouth** (*born in a rich family*) పుట్టుకతోనే సంపద కలిగిన

Ex. Nehru was **born with a silver spoon in his mouth**.

44. **Beck and call** (*subject to one's will*)

ఎప్పుడూ శిరసావహించు

Ex. I am not at your **beck and call**.

45. **black and white** (*in writing*)

వాతరూపములొ

Ex. Rama gave his report in **black and white**.

46. **black sheep** (*disreputed person*)

చెడు వ్యక్తి

Ex. In every party we find some **black sheep**.

47. **bird of passage** (*one who stays for a temporary period*) ఒకచోట స్థిరముగా వుండనివాడు

Ex. Some government officials are **birds of passage**.

48. **by and by** (*soon*)

క్రమముగా

Ex. you will know about life **by and by**.

49. **bed of roses** (*a comfortable position*)

పూలపానువు

Ex. Life is not a **bed of roses**.

50. **break the ice** (*to get through the initial difficulties*) బిడియము వదలు

Ex. The new actor **broke the ice** and acted well.

51. **by all means** (*by all methods*)

నిస్సంశయముగా

Ex. We have to help the poor **by all means**.

52. **bury the hatchet** (*make peace*)

(శత్రుభావము వదలు)

Ex. The war has ended, but some nations have not yet **buried the hatchet**.

53. **bad blood** (*ill feeling*)

శతృత్వము

Ex. Let there are no **bad blood** between India and China.

54. **back up** (*support*)

బలపఱచుట

Ex. Rama is **backed up** by all his friends.

55. **bring to book** (*to punish*)

చట్టపకారము చర్య గైకొను

Ex. The thief was **brought to book** by the police.

56. **broke out** (*begin*)

వ్యాపించెను

Ex. Cholera **broke out** in all places.

57. **break into** (*make a forcible entry*)

బలవంతముగా ప్రవేశించెడు

Ex. Thieves **broke in to** the house.

58. **bring in** (*yield*)

ప్రతిఫలముగా ఇచ్చు

Ex. His books **bring in** but a small income.

59. **bring up** (*rear*)

పెంచబడు

Ex. He is **brought up** by his uncle.

60. **black and blue** (*severe punishment*)

కఠినముగా శిక్షించు

Ex. The boy was beaten **black and blue** for misbehaviour.

61. **beyond measure** (*excessively*)

చెప్పలేనంతగా (ఎక్కువగా)

Ex. Our Prime Minister criticised the press **bey measure**.

62. **burning question** (*important topic*)

తీవ్ర చర్చకు గుఱి బాతున్న విషయము

Ex. Terrorism is the **burning question** of the da

63. **bore away** (*won*)

గెలిచెను

Ex. Rama **bore away** many prizes.

64. **back out** (*with draw*)

ఒదిలుకొను

Ex. The partner **backed out** of the deal.

65. **bring out** (*publish*)

ప్రచురించు

Ex. Our college **brought out** a magazine

66. **broke down** (*Stop because of some [fault]*)

యాంత్రిక లోపము వలన చెడిపోవు

Ex. The car had **broken down** before we reac home.

67. **by the by** (*by stages*)

క్రమముగా

Ex. **by the by** I have to tell you that you must w very hard.

68. **Body and soul** (*complete self*)

పూర్తిగా

Ex. We must work with **body and soul** for the progress of the nation.

69. **by the hook or crook** (*by fair means or by foul-means*) ఏదో విధముగా

Ex. He decided to earn money either **by hook or by crook**.

70. **by leaps and bounds** (*quickly*)

త్వరితముగా

Ex. Corruption has been increasing **by leaps and bounds**.

71. **bag and baggage** (*with all the belongings*)

మూటా ముల్లె

Ex. The officer left the town with his **bag and baggage**.

72. **bank on** (*depend on*)

ఆధారపడు

Ex. Gopi always **banks on** his friends.

—C—

73. **Clear off** (*settle*)

పరిష్కరించు

Ex. He sold away his land to **clear off** all his debts.

74. **Carry on** (*to continue*)

కొనసాగించు

Ex. In spite of his troubles he **carried on** his studies.

75. **Celebrated for** (*very famous for*)

ప్రఖ్యాతి పొందు

Ex. Dr. C. V. Raman is **celebrated for** his great wisdom.

76. Call off (stop)

విరమించు

Ex. The strike was **called off**.

77. Call upon (appeal)

విన్నపము చేయు

Ex. The Prime Minister **called upon** the people to maintain peace.

78. Call on (make a short visit)

దర్శించు

Ex. I **called on** my sick friend yesterday.

79. Call in [to invite]

కలుగు పెట్టు

Ex. **Call in** a doctor immediately.

80. Come about [happen]

సంభవించు

Ex. How did this **come about** ?

81. Come across [find]

కనుగొను

Ex. I **came across** my old friend in Madras.

82. Come off [succeed]

విజయము పొందు

Ex. The launching of the rocket did not **come off**.

83. call in question [cha'lenge]

అనుమానించు

Ex. The honesty of some greatmen cannot be **called in question**.

84. Carry the day (to win)

విజయము సాధించు

Ex. In the recent Olympics Russia **carried the day**

85. **Cut short** [*abridged*]

సంక్షిప్తీకరించు

Ex. For want of time he **cut short** his speech.

86. **Cast away** [*to throw off*]

విసరివేయబడు

Ex. The ship was **cast away** on the coast.

87. **Carry out** [*implement*]

అమలుపరచు

Ex. He **carried out** the orders of the officer.

88. **Cut down** [*reduce*]

తగ్గించు

Ex. We must **cut down** our expenses.

89. **Catch a Tartar** [*to encounter a strong opponent*]

బలమైన ప్రక్కర్థిని ఎన్నుకొను

Ex. During the Quit India Movement the British realised that they were trying to **catch a Tartar**.

90. **Cut a figure** [*perform a conspicuous part*]

ప్రఖ్యాతి పొందు

Ex. Kapil Dev **cut a figure** in international Cricket.

91. **Cock and Bull story** [*improbable story*]

కట్టుకథ

Ex. Nobody believes his **cock and bull stories**.

92. **Come to blows** [*begin to fight*]

పోట్లాడుకొను

Ex. The two friends **Come to blows**.

93. **Come down** [*lower in prices*]

తగ్గు

Ex. The prices have not **come down** so far.

94. **Come by** [*to obtain*]

పొందు

Ex. How did you **come by** this book?

95. **Come out** [*to become public*]

వెలుగులోనికి వచ్చు

Ex. At last the truth has **come out**.

96. **Call over** [*recite*]

గుర్తు చేసుకొని అప్పచెప్ప

Ex. The young boy **calls over** many lines
Ramayana.

97. **Cut out** [*fitted*]

తొలగించు

Ex. He loves teaching and seems **cut**
teacher.

98. **Cutout** [*removed*]

తొలగించు

Ex. The author **cut out** all the difficult w
his book.

99. **Come round** [*recover from ill temper*]

శాంతపడు

Ex. The officer **came round** after a week
his subordinates.

100. **Castle in the air** [*visionary ideas*]

ఉహలోకములలో విహరించు

Ex. Youth often build **castles in the air**.

101. **Call for** [*demand*]

అవసరమును తెలుపు

Ex. The situation **calls for** immediate acti

102. **Consent to** [*agree*]

ఒప్పుకొను

Ex. My father **consented to** get me adm
Engineering College.

103. to catch red-handed [*to trap while doing something wrong*] తప్పు చేస్తుండగా పట్టుబడు

Ex. The corrupt officer was caught red-handed.

104. Capital error [*fatal mistake*]

తీవ్రమైన తప్పు

Ex. If we allow our students to sit idle it will be a capital error.

105. Cast aside [*give up*]

ప్రక్కన పెట్టు (ఆపివేయు)

Ex. In the period of war all other activities will be cast aside.

—D—

106. do away with [*abolish*]

రద్దుపరచు

Ex. The new government did away with many taxes.

107. do justice to [*treat fairly*]

న్యాయము చేకూర్చు

Ex. All the actors did justice to their roles.

108. dash one's hopes [*Spil one's hopes*]

తీవ్రమైన ఆశాభంగమగు

Ex. Rama's failure in the test dashed his father's hopes.

109. die in harness [*to die while still at work*]

పనిచేయుచు చనిపోవు

Ex. The officer died in harness owing to heart attack.

110. dog days [*the hottest and most trouble some*]

బాదాకరమైన

Ex. We have dog days in summer.

111. **go to dogs** [*to be ruined*]

చిన్నా బిన్ను మగు

Ex. Owing to disunity our country has **gone to dogs**.

112. **dead letter** [*which was not implemented*]

అమలు జరగని పని

Ex. The dowry act is now **dead letter**.

113. **drop in the ocean** [*a very trifling part*]

అత్యంత స్వల్పము

Ex. My contribution to the defence fund is a **drop in the ocean**.

114. **dwell upon** [*to think of speak at some length*]

దీ వముగా ఆలోచించు

Ex. we have to **dwell upon** these things before taking a decision.

115. **to dash with** [*dilute*]

కలనివుండి

Ex. In life joy is often do shed with sorrow.

116. **to damage the Government** [*to detract from reputation*] ప్రభుత్వమును అపవద్ధపరచు

Ex. Some of our neighbouring countries try to damage the reputation of India.

117. **The dark continent** [*Africa*]

చీకటి భండము

Ex. Africa is no more a **dark continent**.

118. **Dark horse** [*person whose capabilities may be greater than they are known to be*] వెలుగుచూడని ప్రతిభగల

Ex. As Thomas Gray says there is some **dark horse** even in a small village.

119. **Dash of good blood** [*of noble qualities*]

ఉన్నత లక్షణములు

Ex. Every patriot has a **dash of good blood** in him.

120. dead stock [*unsaleable goods*]

అమ్మకముకాక నిలువ వున్న సరుకు

Ex. Many of the medicines have become a **dead stock**.**121. deprive of** [*take away from*]

అక్రమముగా తీసుకొను

Ex. The pilgrim was **deprived** of his money by the robbers.**122. delight with** [*feel happy*]

ఆనందమును పొందు

Ex. The teacher is very much **delighted** with the performance of the students.**123. at daggers draw** [*openly hostile*]

ఐదుటకు కనిపించు శతృత్వము

Ex. Iran and Iraq are **at daggers drawn**.**124. Win the day** [*gain the victory*]

విజయమును పొందు

Ex. Our college team has **won the day** by defeating all other teams.**125. a dead letter** [*law or rule no longer enforced*]

అమలు జరగని నిబంధన

Ex. The law of prohibition has become a **dead letter**.**126. dead shot** [*a correct marksman*]

మంచి గురిగాడు

Ex. Arjuna was a **dead shot** in archery.**127. drop in the ocean** (*a very trifling part*)

అతిస్వల్పము

Ex. The contribution of modern poets to literature is a **drop in the ocean**.

128. **do away with** [*remove*]

తొలగించు

Ex. In our modern society we must **do away with** some of our old customs.

129. **dispense with** [*to do without*]

లేకుండా చేసుకొను

Ex. We cannot afford to **dispense with** the services of the senior members.

130. **done up** [*tire of*]

బడలిక పొంది వుండు

Ex. Rama is **done up** with walking.

131. **draw back** [*to take back*]

వెనుకకు తీసుకొను

Ex. Rama did not **draw-back** his promise.

132. **dead end** [*terminus*]

రైలు-లేక-బస్సు-ఆఖరు స్టేషన్

Ex. The bus stops at the **dead end**.

133. **deaf of** [*indifferent to*]

పట్టించుకోకుండా వుండు

Ex. He is **deaf to** my advice.

134. **at dead of night** [*at mid night*]

ఆర్ధరాత్రి

Ex. The thief entered the house at **dead of night**.

135. **depressed classes** [*untouchables*]

అంటరానివాడు

Ex. We must help the **depressed classes** of the society.

136. **dooms day** [*end of the world*]

ప్రపంచమునకు చివరిరోజు

Ex. Some people believe in the **doom's day**.

137. **devil's advocate** (*one who preaches against religion*)

మతమును వ్యతిరేకించువాడు

Ex. Some people treat athiests as **devil's advocates**.

138. **to be dead against** (*oppose strongly*)

తీవ్రముగా వ్యతిరేకించు

Ex. Gandhi was **dead against** violence.

139. **decide upon** (*decide*)

నిర్ణయించు

Ex. The Government have **decided upon** introducing vocational courses in schools.

—E—

140. **Eye wash** (*mere show*)

కంటి తుడుపుగా

Ex. People know that all election promises are an **eye-wash**.

141. **Eagle-eyed** (*keen sighted*)

సునిశిత దృష్టిగల

Ex. Govind is an **eagle-eyed** person.

142. **Ear-shot** (*very near*)

చాలా దగ్గరగా

Ex. Rama stands within the **ear-shot**.

143. **Eye-opener** (*enlightening circumstances*)

జ్ఞానోదయమును కలిగించు

Ex. The Punjab situation is an **eye-opener** to political parties.

144. **Earth-born** (*of mortal race*)

మానవమాత్రుడు

No one **earth-born** can face such a trouble.

145. **easy and free** (*not strict*)

ఉదారముగా వుండు

Ex. Our teacher are not **easy and free** in the examination hall.

146. **engrossed in** (*completely absorbed*)

పూర్తిగా నిమగ్నమై ఉండు

Ex. Students must be **engrossed in** their studies.

147. **Escape literature** (*light reading*)

కాలక్షేప సాహిత్యము

Ex. Most of the readers like to read only **escape literature**.

148. **Eye for an eye** (*punishment as severe as the injury suffered*) దెబ్బకు దెబ్బ

Ex. An eye for an eye is the law of the jungle.

149. **Easy money** (*thrive*)

తేలికగా లభించే డబ్బు (లంచము)

Ex. Many officials are after **easy money**.

150. **enough and spare** (*sufficient*)

తగినంత

Ex. Gopal has **enough and to spare** as his father earned a lot of money.

eat one's words (*retract one's words in a humiliating manner*)

తన మాట తనే ఉపసంహరించుకొను

Ex. The minister was hasty in his remarks but soon he had to **eat his words**.

152. **ear to** (*to listen carefully*)

శ్రద్ధగా అంటుండు

Ex. Please give an **ear to** his advice.

153. **eat the humble pie** (*to humiliate one's self*)

అవమానము చెందు

Ex. Ravana **ate the humble pie** before Rama.

154. **end in smoke** (*to come to nothing*)

వ్యర్థమగు

Ex. All the efforts of Gandhi to see united India **ended in smoke**.

163. **Fair sex** [*Women*]

స్త్రీలు

Ex. We must help the **fair sex** with due respect.

164. **Fair play** [*equal conditions for all*]

నిష్పక్షపాతభారణి

Ex. An honest man always likes a **fair play**.

165. **Food for worms** [*dead*]

పురుగులకు ఆహారమైనవాడు (మరణించినవాడు)

Ex. As he is no more he is **food for worms**.

166. **Follow out** [*pursue to the end*]

గమ్యము చేరువఱకు కొనసాగించుట

Ex. Young people must **follow out** their ambitions.

167. **Fly at** [*attack*]

పైనబడు

Ex. A weak person must not **fly at** a strong man.

168. **Food for fishes** [*drowned*]

చేపలకు ఆహారము

Ex. As he drowned and died he became **food for fishes**.

169. **Flower age** [*spring*]

వసంతముతుఫా (ఉన్నతస్థితి)

Ex. Every plant has its **flower age**.

170. **Free from** [*with out any*]

ఏమీ లేకుండా

Ex. This book is **free from** all mistakes.

171. **Far-fetched** [*un natural*]

అసహజము

Ex. All his examples are **far-fetched**.

172. **Fall off** [*decrease*]

తగ్గించు

Ex. His income **fall off** year after year.

173. Food for thought (*some thing to think about*)

మెదడుకు పేత

Ex. The writings of the great authors give food for our thoughts.

174. Fair and square (*honest*)

నిజాయితీగల

Ex. We always trust people who are fair and square in their dealings.

175. Few and far between (*infrequent*)

చాలా తక్కువ ACCNO. 20943

Ex. The visits of our doctor are few and far between.

176. fall back (*turn to for support*)

సహాయము అర్పించు 12-00

Ex. The unemployed boy fell back on his father.

177. fall out (*to quarrel*)

తగవుపడు 425 NAF

Ex. The two friends fell out.

178. fall through (*to fail*)

ఓడిపోవు-(వీగిపోవు)

Ex. The new tax system fell through.

179. fish out of water (*a person in an uncomfortable position*) పిక్కిలి ఇబ్బందికరమైన

Ex. when I visited Assam I felt like a fish out of water.

180. fall flat (*to have no effect*)

అసక్తి కలిగించలేకపోవుట

Ex. His poor jokes fall flat on the listeners.

181. follow suit (*to follow the example*)

అందఱూ అనుసరించు

Ex. When one student starts strike the other students follow suit.

190. **Get through** (*pass*)

ఉత్తీర్ణత పొందు

Ex. He **got through** the entrance test.

191. **Give in** (*yield*)

తొంగు

Ex. At last the Naxalities **give in** to the appeal of the people.

192. **give up** (*aband n*)

వదలకొను

Ex. At last he **gave up** his attempt.

193. **go into** (*investigate*)

హాజీరీ చేయు

Ex. The detective decided to **go into** the investigation.

194. **give away** (*handover*)

అప్పగించు (అమ్ము)

Ex. The D.E O **gave away** the prizes to the winners.

195. **Give out** (*announce*)

ప్రకటించు

Ex. The Principal **gave out** the list of successful candidates.

196. **Gave up** (*resign, surrender*)

వదిలించు

Ex. We **gave up** the hope of our uncle's recovery.

197. **Give way** (*yield*)

తొంగుకొని పోవు

Ex. At last the enemy **gave way** to our armed forces.

198. **Give place** (*make room*)

అంతాకము కట్టుచు

Ex. Old order must **give place** to the new.

199. **Give vent to** (*express*)

తెలియజేయు

Ex. Some people **gave vent to** their opinion without caring for the consequences.

200. **Go to the dogs** (*be ruined*)

వినాశనమగు

Ex. At this rate of violence our country will **go to dogs**.

201. **Get behind** (*become backward*)

వెనుకపడిపోవు

Ex. My brother **got behind** in his studies.

202. **Grand mistake** (*blunder*)

గొప్ప తప్పు

Ex. The formation of different states on linguistic basis is a **grand mistake**.

203. **God-send** (*unexpected gain*)

దూహించని లాభము

Ex. The enhanced age limit is a **God send opportunity**.

204. **Gold-diggers** (*Money makers*)

రబ్బును ఎక్కువగా సంపాదించువారు

Ex. Every man wants to become a **gold digger**.

205. **get by heart** (*to mug up*)

కంఠస్థము చేయు

Ex. I **got by heart** Some poems of Keats.

206. **go to dogs** (*to be ruined*)

నాశనమగు

Ex. If terrorism is not checked up our country will **go to dogs**.

207. **Gala day** (*happy day*)

ఆనందోత్సాహములతో గడిచే

Ex. The New year Day is one of the **Gala days** in India.

208. **get along** (*be friendly*)

సహకరించు

Ex. Rama can **get along** with any body.

209. **get at** (*to find*)

తెలిసికొను

Ex. The judge tried to **get at** the truth.

210. **get through** (*to ban*)

ఉత్తీర్ణుడగు

Ex. I **got through** the entrance test.

211. **give away** (*to distribute*)

పంచి పెట్టు

Ex. The District Collector **gave away** the prizes to the Winners.

212. **give up** (*to stop*)

మానివేయు

Ex. Rama **gave up** smoking.

213. **give in** (*to yield*)

తొంగిపోవు

Ex. The enemy finally **gave in**.

214. **go by** (*to pass*)

సాగిపోవు

Ex. We waited for the train to **go by**.

215. **go back on** (*to fail to keep*)

చూరు నిలుపుకోకపోవు

Ex. The Chief Minister **want back** on his promise regarding land reforms.

216. **go through** (*to discuss in detail*)

అధ్యయనిము చేయు

Ex. Let us **go through** the vedas.

217. **go to the wall** (*to be defeated in the contest*)

ప్రకటకు నెట్టివేయబడు

Ex. It is the poor people that always **go to the wall**.

236. **hay day** (*prosperous state*)

అబ్బుదశ

Ex. Telugu literature was in a **hay day** in the reign of Krishna Devaraya.

237. **hide and seek** (*to deceive*)

మోసనాట

Ex. We should not play **hide-and seek** with our friends.

238. **hold true** (*valid*)

సమర్థనీయము

Ex. The morals our holy books teach **hold good** to all times and places.

239. **hold up** (*stopped*)

ఆపివేయుట

Ex. The lady **hold up** till the traffic by her reckless driving.

10. **hush up** (*to stop it from becoming public*)

మరుగుపఱచు

Ex. We cannot **hush up** our economic backwardness.



241. **In the end** (*finally*)

తుదకు

Ex. It was India which won the gold medal **in the end**.

242. **In spite of** (*even though*)

అనప్పటికీ

Ex. **In spite of** his best efforts he could not get a class.

243. **In a nutshell** (*briefly*)

సంగ్రహముగా

Ex. He narrated the whole story **in a nutshell**.

244. **In black and white** (*in writing*)

వ్రాత పూర్వకముగా

Ex. The police officer asked him to lodge his complaint **in black and white**.

245. **Ins and outs** (*secretly*)

రహస్యముగా

Ex. A prosperous business man must know the **ins and outs** of his business.

246. **Identical with** (*The same*)

పోలి వుండుట

Ex. This new painting is **identical with** the old painting.

247. **Identity of** (*state of being identical*)

గుర్తింపు

Ex. The **identity of** the criminal has not been established by the police.

248. **Ignorant of** (*knowing little*)

అసలు తెలియకపోవుట

Ex. Everybody is **ignorant of** his whereabouts.

249. **Impatient of** (*not patient*)

అసహనము

Ex. They became **impatient of** and went away.

250. **Include in** (*bring in*)

కలుపుకొను

Ex. His name is **included in** the list of successful candidates.

251. **Incorporate in** (*united in one body*)

కలుపుకొను

Ex. The new chapter is **incorporated in** this book.

252. **In season and out of season** (*at all times*)

ఎల్లప్పుడు

Ex. He wanders from place to place **in season and out of season**.

253. **Irony of fate** (*circumstances which are indirectly directed by fate*) విధివిలాసము లేక దురదృష్టము

Ex. It is an **irony of fate** that keels should be cut off in the prime of his life.

254. **In the long run** (*ultimately*)

తుదకు

Ex. An honest man gains a lot in the long run.

255. **In high spirits** (*in extreme joy*)

అమితోత్సాహము

Ex. My brother is in high spirits as he has got a medical seat.

256. **In full swing** (*very active*)

మిక్కిలి చురుకుగా

Ex. The political activities are in full swing during the elections.

257. **In cold blood** (*very cruelly*)

అతి క్రూరముగా

Ex. The dacoits killed the pilgrims in cold blood be side robbing them.

258. **Inferiority complex** (*a state of mind in which a person feels inferior to others*)

న్యూనతాభావము

Ex. A person who develops inferiority complex cannot achieve anything.

259. **In vain** (*without use*)

సిరుపయోగము

Ex. All the efforts of the Government to control population are in vain.

260. **In a mess** (*in a state of disorder*)

గందరగోళము

Ex. The affairs of the State Government are in a mess.

261. **in the good looks of** (*to win favour of*)

అభిమాన పాత్రుడుగా

Ex. Rama is **in the good looks of** his teachers.

262. **in the nick of time** (*just in time*)

అఖిరి క్షణములలో

Ex. My friend came to my help **in the nick of time**.

263. **in the long run** (*in course of time*)

చివరికి

Ex. Lazy people will suffer **in the long run**.

264. **in the teeth of** (*without carying for*)

పూర్తి వ్యతిరేకత పున్నా

Ex. The bill was passed in the Parliament **in the teeth of** much opposition.

265. **in the light** (*keeping in mind*)

మనస్సులో పుంచుకొని

Ex. The Press Bill was dropped **in the light of** public opinion.

266. **intrude upon** (*enterfere with*)

కోక్కము కలిగించు

Ex. We should not allow our enemies to **intrude upon** our border.

267. **Ill-will** (*animosity*)

శతృత్వము

Ex. Let there will be no **ill-well** between India and Pakistan.

268. **Ill at ease** (*uncomfortable*)

అసౌకర్యము

Ex. The thief felt quite **ill at ease** before the police man.

269. In season and out of season (*at all times*)

ఎల్లవేళలా

Ex. Most of the politicians utter lies in season and out of season.

—J—

270. Jump at (*accept readily*)

ఉత్సాహముతో స్వీకరించు

Ex. Rama is very poor so he jumps at any work given to him.

271. Jumbled up together (*confused mixer*)

కలగలుపు

Ex. The untidy boy's books and clothes were all jumbled up together.

272. Jack of all trades (*one who can turn his mind to any job but not expert in any*) అనేక వృత్తులు ప్రవర్తించువాడు

Ex. A jack of all trades is a master of none.

273. jump to conclusions (*Come to a nasty decision*)

తల్లెడపడి నిర్ణయమునకు వచ్చు

Ex. It is dangerous if we jump to conclusions.

274. jump upon (*to attack*)

ముట్టడించు

Ex. He jumped upon the growling tiger.

275. do justice (*treat fairly*)

న్యాయము చేకూర్చు

Ex. An actor must do justice to his role.

276. Jealous of (*showing unhappiness because of other's better future*) అశర్మపడు

Ex. We should not be jealous of the rich.

277. Join in (*associate with*)

చేరుట, కలయుట

Ex. He joined his friends in celebrating the New year.

278. **Jekyll and Hyde** (*single person in whom two personalities alternate*) ఒకే వ్యక్తిలో రెండు వ్యక్తిత్వాలు

Ex. Many politicians play **Jekyll and Hyde** to achieve their ends.

279. **In jest** (*not seriously*)

తమాషాగా తేజకగా

Ex. Some unruly boys are ready to do everything in **jest**.

280. **Jump down** (*fall*)

తగ్గుట

Ex. Recently some prices of food items have **jumped down**.

281. **To justify** (*give a good reason for*)

న్యాయమని సమర్థించు

Ex. I can **justify** my statements.

282. **Joy walker** (*who cross the road without caring the traffic rules*) రోడ్డు నియమాలు పాటించనివారు

Ex. In a big city a **joy walker** causes a lot of traffic problems.

283. **Jaw-breaker** (*word difficult to pronounce*)

ఉచ్చరించుటకు కష్టమైన పదములు

Ex. Greek names are **jaw-breakers**.

284. **to jog on** (*proceed laboriously*)

శ్రమతో ముందుకుసాగు

Ex. Some political parties **jog on**.

285. **a jail bird** (*one who is often imprisoned*)

జైలుపక్షి

Ex. Charles Sobharaj is a **jail bird**.

286. **The Jaws of death** (*in the grip of death*)

మృత్యుకోటలో ఇరుక్కొను

Ex. The doctor saved him from the **jaws of death**.

—K—

287. **Keep one's head over water** (*to tide over difficulties*) విషమాలను అధిగమించు

Ex. A poor man cannot **Keep his head over water** in these days of high cost of living.

288. **To keep the wolf from the door** (*to save the family from starvation*)

అకలి బాధనుంచి కాపాడుకొను

Ex. It is becoming difficult for the middle class people to **keep the wolf from the door**.

289. **keep at arm's length** (*avoid familiarity*)

దూరముగా వుండు

Ex. We must **keep the black sheep at arm's length**.

290. **Keep up appearances** (*to maintain an outward show*)

పైకె బాగున్నట్లు కనిపించు

Ex. One must be clever enough to **keep up appearances** even in troubles.

291. **Keep back** (*conceal*)

చాచు

Ex. We should not **keep nothing back** from our parents.

292. **Keep from** (*refrain from*)

దూరముగా వుండు

Ex. One must **keep from** evil thoughts.

293. **Keep to** (*adhere to*)

కట్టుబడివుండు

Ex. Always **keep to** your promises.

4. **Keep under** (*control*)

అదుపులో వుండు

Ex. He cleverly kept all his enemies **under** his control.

295. **Keep up** (*maintain*)

కాపాడుకొను

Ex. We must **keep up** the reputation of our country.

296. **Keep on** (*Continue*)

కొనసాగించు

Ex. She **kept on** laughing

297. **Keep the pot boiling** (*earn enough money to support oneself*) పొషణకు అవసరమైనంత

Ex. A poor man finds it difficult to **keep his pot-boiling**.

298. **Keep from** (*abstain from*)

తప్పించు

Ex. A drunkard cannot afford to **keep from** the habit of drinking.

299. **Knew no bounds** (*feel unlimited joy*)

ఎక్కువ ఆనందమును పొందు

Ex. His joy **knew no bounds** when he came to know of his success.

300. **Keep to** (*pay proper regard to*)

తగిన గౌరవము ఇచ్చు

Ex. You are advised to **keep to** your promise.

301. **Knock at** (*striking gently*)

Ex. Nobody that **knocks at** his door for help is turned away.

302. **King of terror** (*death*)

మృత్యువు

Ex. **King of terror** lays his icy hands on all.

303. **Kith and Kin** (*relatives*)

బంధువులు

Ex. A rich man is loved and respected by all his **Kith and Kin**.

304. **Keynote** (*main idea*)

ముఖ్యతావము

Ex. Love is the **Keynote** of a Shakespear can comedy.

305. **Keep company with** (*to remain together*)

కలిసివుండు

Ex. My friend Gopal **keeps company with** some bad boys.

306. **Keep up** (*not slacken*)

కాపాడుకొను

Ex. One should try to **keep up** one's self respect at any cost.

307. **Kith and Kin** (*friends and relatives*)

మిత్రవర్గము-దగ్గఱ చుట్టాలు

Ex. Many of our **Kith and Kin** are in Madras.

308. **Keep one's word** (*Keep a promise*)

మాట నిలుపుకొను

Ex. A honest man **keeps his word**.

309. **Knock down** (*strike to the ground*)

పడగొట్టు

Ex. The poor beggar-woman was **knocked down** by a speeding car.

310. **keep at bay** (*keep the enemy at a distance*)

శత్రువును ప్రవేశించకుండా పెయ

Ex. The epidemic was kept at bay by the health department.

311. **Keep body and soul together** (*to live*)

జీవించుటకు

Ex. Being effected by poverty and famine the poor find it difficult to **keep body and soul together**.

312. **Keep open house** (*entertain the guest well*)

అతిథి మర్యాదలు బాగుగా సాగు

Ex. He is noted to **keep open house**.

313. **to keep the pot boiling** (*to get the necessities of life*) శీవితావసరములను పొందుట

Ex. With his low salary Rama finds it difficult to **keep the pot boiling**.

—L—

314. **to lay down** (*Sacrifice*)

పాతాళ్యగము చేయు

Ex. Many great leaders **laid down** their lives to save their country.

315. **to lay down** (*establish*)

ఏర్పఱచు

Ex. The leader **laid down** new rules.

316. **to look down** (*to despise*)

హీనముగా చూచు

Ex. After becoming a minister he **looked down** on his former friends.

317. **to look forward to** (*seeing you again*)

ఆతురతతో చూచు

Ex. I am **looking forward to** seeing you again.

318. **to look up** (*expect*)

దర్శించు

Ex. When you come to Madras please **look me up**.

319. **Lion's share** (*the larger part*)

ఎక్కువ భాగము

Ex. The **lion's share** of the profits goes to the capatlist.

320. **Leading question** (*a question so worded as to suggest an answer*) సమాధానము సూచించు

Ex. The lawyer put some **leading questions** to the witness.

321. **to lead by the nose** (*make one obey one's orders*)

పూర్తిగా అదుపుతో పెట్టు

Ex. Some women **lead their husbands by the nose**.

322. **Let the cat out of the bag** (*reveal the secret*)

రహస్యము బయటపెట్టు

Ex. The Manager **lets the cat out** when he informs the workers of the closer of their company.

323. **to lose one's temper** (*show displeasure*)

కోపగించుకొను

Ex. He is a miser. So he **loses his temper** if you ask him money.

324. **Lodestar** (*pole star*)

ధృవ నక్షత్రము

Ex. A **lodestar** is firm in its position.

325. **Live a double life** (*sustain two different characters*)

ద.ం.ద్వై పన్ను త్రి

Ex. It is bad to **live a double life**.

326. **Let down** (*fail in need, disappoint*)

సమయములో అపకృష్టం చేయు

Ex. We should not **let down** our friends when **they** are in need.

327. **Lick the dust** (*to be vanquished*)

ఘోరముగా ఓడిపోవు

Ex. In the second world war Hitler **licked the dust**.

328. **Leap in the dark** (*hazardous attempts*)

ప్రమాద ప్రయత్నము

Ex. For a small country any war is like a **leap in the dark**.

329. **Lean year** (*famine*)

కఱవు-కాటకాల సంవత్సరము

Ex. 1947 was a very lean year for

330. **Lack luster** (*dull*)

నిరుత్సాహము కలిగించు

Ex. No doubt some jobs lack luster.

331. **Lay great store upon** (*to value highly*),

విలువనిచ్చు

Ex. We lay great store upon the teachings of Gandhiji.

332. **Latter end** (*death*)

మృత్యువు

Ex. None can escape the latter end.

333. **Lay hands on** (*seize*)

పట్టుకొను, చేతులువేయు

Ex. Death lays its icy hands on kings.

334. **Land of the dead** (*heaven*)

స్వర్గప్రాప్తి పొందు

Ex. My uncle has gone to the land of the dead.

335. **A lion in the path** (*an obstacle in one's way*)

అటంకముగా వుండు

Ex. My poverty is like a lion in my path of progress.

336. **Let sleeping dogs live** (*avoid any debatable or controversial issues*) అనివసరమైన విషయమును కదుపు

Ex. Let the rogue suffer let the sleeping dogs lie.

—M—

337. **Midsummer madness** (*temporary craziness*)

తాత్కాలిక మైన చపలత్వము

Ex. He sometimes suffers from midsummer madness.

338. Made away with (destroy)

నాశనము చేయు

Ex. He **made away with** the administration.**339. Make away with (stole)**

దొంగిలించు

Ex. The Clerk **made away with** ten thousand rupees**340. Make out (understand-discover)**

అర్థము చేసికొను

Ex. It is not easy to **make out** the meaning of thi
poem.**341. Man of action (a practical man)**

క్రియాశీలి

Ex. Gandhi was a **man of action**.**342. Man of letters (scholar)**

పండితుడు

Ex. Nehru was a **man of letters**.**343. Make for (conduce to)**

అరివృద్ధిచేయు

Ex. Contentment in life **makes for** happiness i
life.**344. Make over (transfer)**

మార్పు

Ex. The rich man has **made over** all his property t
his relatives.**345. Man-of-war (a warship)**

యుద్ధనౌక

Ex. Hitler led his **man of war** to defeat his enemies**46. Make up one's mind (decided to do something)**

మనసులో నిర్ణయించుకొను

Ex. I **made up my mind to** become a doctor.

347. **Make both ends meet** (*to have two square meals a day*) ఆదాయము సరిపెట్టుకొను

Ex. For the poor it is difficult to **make both ends meet**.

348. **make up** (*settle*)

నష్టమునుండి బయటపడు

Ex. You must **make up** your differences.

349. **Make up for** (*compensate*)

నష్టమును భర్తీచేయు

Ex. You must **make up for** the lost time.

350. **Make away** (*to allow room for*)

ఆ దారిని వెళ్ళు

Ex. The crowd **made the way** for the minister.

351. **Make capital** (*to turn a thing for one's advantage*)

నష్టమును-లాభము కలిగించు విధముగా మార్చుకొను

Ex. When he committed a mistake his enemies **made a capital** out of it.

352. **Man in the street** (*a layman*)

సామాన్యుడు

Ex. A good leader can impress a man in the street.

353. **Make fun of** (*laugh at*)

ఎగతాళిచేయు

Ex. The old man's dress was so funny that all the boys **made fun of him**.

354. **Make head or tail of** (*cannot understand*)

ఏమీ అర్థము కాకపోవు

Ex. The problem is so sufficient that I could **make head or tail of it**.

355. **Match for** (*not equal*)

సరిపోడి

Ex. Ravana is no **match for** Rama.

356. Moved by (*felt by*)

స్పందించు

Ex. I was greatly moved by their kindness.

357. Murmur against (*complaining against*)

గొణుగుకొను

Ex. All people are murmuring against the heavy taxes.

358. Make one's mark (*achieve distinction*)

గొప్ప స్థానమును సంపాదించు

Ex. Tagore made his mark as a great poet.

359. Make sure (*to be certain*)

కచ్చితముగా తెలుసుకొను

Ex. Make sure that you read good literature.

360. Mammoth (*unusually large*)

చాలా పెద్ద

Ex. A mammoth crowd gathered to listen the new Prime Minister.

61. Mania for (*severe craze*)

తీవ్రమైన వ్యామోహము

Ex. He has a mania for buying all sorts of fancy goods.

362. March on (*to invade*)

ముట్టడించుటకు ముందుకుపోవు

Ex. Hitler marched with his troops on Russia.

363. Mediocre (*ordinary*)

సామాన్యమైన

Ex. As he is a mediocre student he may not be able to get a first class.

64. Mortify (*to humiliate*)

మనసు నొప్పించు

Ex. When the son slighted his old father the oldman felt mortified.

365. **Mind one's P's and Q's** (*be careful in what one says or does*) చెప్పే మాటలు, పనులలో-జాగ్రత్తగా వుండు

Ex. A leader must be careful of his P's and Q's.

366. **Muster** (*to gather*)

ప్రొగుచేయు

Ex. The student leader **mustered** about hundred students to conduct a strike.

367. **Make one's mark** (*achieve distinction*)

గొప్ప స్థానమును పొందు

Ex. Jagadeesh Chandrabose **made his mark** as a biologist.

368. **make up** (*compensation for*)

నష్టమునకు పరిహారము

Ex. Take this money to **make up** for the book you lost.

369. **mode up to** (*sought favour with*)

అధిమానమును పొందుటకు

Ex. The Clerk **made up** to his employer in order to get promotion.

370. **makes up** (*use cosmetics*)

ముఖమును అలంకరించుకొను

Ex. The actress **makes up** too heavily.

371. **make out** (*understand*)

అర్థము చేసికొను

Ex. I cannot **make out** what he means by his statement.

372. **make believe** (*imagined or pretended*)

ఈపాించు లేక నటించు

Ex. The cinema only **makes us** live in a **make-believe** world.

373. make certain of (*to be sure*)

కచ్చితముగా

Ex. Politicians never **make certain of** their statements.

374. make good (*to restore any loss or damage*)

సష్టమును బరిచేయు

Ex. The cashier has to **make good** of the company's money which he has stolen.

375. make light of (*treat as unimportant*)

ముఖ్యము కానట్లు

Ex. We must not **make light of** the bad propaganda of our enemies.

376. To make much ado about nothing (*to make a great fuss*) గోరంతలు కొండంతలు చేయు

Ex. The opposition party is interested in **making much ado about nothing**.

—N—

377. to call names (*abuse*)

తీట్లు

Ex. Do not **call** anybody names.

378. Null and void (*cancelled*)

రద్దుపాటు

Ex. The date of this agreement has expired so it is now **null and void**.

379. nip in the bud (*remove in the early state*)

మొగ్గకొనే తప్పించివేయు

Ex. The strike was **nipped in the bud** by the Manager.

380. Nail up (*close*)

ముగిసినది

Ex. The agreement between the two countries was **nailed up**.

381. Names (important people)

ముఖ్యమైన వ్యక్తులు

Ex. Tilak, Gandhi and Nehru are great names in the history of India.

382. Narrow circumstances (poverty)

పేదరికము వలన

Ex. He has been suffering from narrow circumstances.

383. Near by (Near at hand)

దగ్గర

Ex. Our college is very near by.

384. Neat handed (skilful in using hands or clever)

తెలిసిగల, చతురతగల

Ex. Rama is a neat handed artist.

385. Neck or nothing (desperately)

ఆశలేని, నిరాశకు లొనైన

Ex. One cannot get success if one does not follow the maxim, Neck or nothing.

386. Neck to neck (side by side)

పోటాపోటీగా

Ex. Some players are running neck to neck to make the goal.

387. New woman (a woman who rejects the convention)

సంప్రదాయములు తిరస్కరించెడి

Ex. None of the educated women are new woman.

388. Next to nothing (absolutely)

ఏమీలేదు

Ex. In my box I have next to nothing.

389. Next of kin (nearest relative)

సమీప బంధువు

Ex. Gopal is my next of kin.

390. Night out (*festive evening*)

పండుగలా రాత్రంతా గడుపు

Ex. As our examinations are over we like to have the **night out**.

391. Night and day (*always*)

ఎల్లప్పుడు

Ex. Some young men like to watch T.V. Programmes **night and day**.

392. Naked eye (*without the usual covering to the eye*)

నా మూలు కళ్ళతో

Ex. A germ cannot be seen with a **naked eye**

393 Now and then (*Sometimes*)

అప్పుడప్పుడు

Ex. I go to Cinema **now and then**.

394 Number is up (*the time for death has come or suffering has come*) మృత్యువును ఎదుర్కొనే సమయము. బాధపడే సమయము

Ex. The number of the old is up.

395. Nurse a grievance (*to remember*) (*some insult or injury done*) శత్రువు ఎల్ల ఎప్పుడో జరిగిన అవమానము ఇంకా ఏ అచిపోకపోవు

Ex. Germans have **nursed a grievance** against the Allied countries.

396. Nail one (*capture one in the act of doing wrong*)

తప్ప చేస్తుండగా పట్టుకొను.

Ex. The police **nailed** the thief while he was escaping from the prison.

397. Nail a lie (*expose a falsehood*)

అసత్యము బయటపెట్టు

Ex. The teacher **nailed the lie** when some unruly boy tried to tell tall tales.

398. **In the name of** (*by the authority of*)

ఆ పేరుతో

Ex. **In the name of** customs we should not follow the out-dated rules.

399. **Narrow down** (*to reduce to a minimum*)

బాగా తగ్గించు

Ex. The differences between the two parties were **narrowed down**.



400. **Out and out** (*thoroughly*)

పూర్తిగా

Ex. He is **out and out** a socialist.

401. **Obliged to** (*bind by promise*)

బద్ధుడనై యుండు

Ex. I am **obliged to** you for your kind help.

402. **Object to** (*that one is not in favour*)

అక్కర్తరము చెప్పు

Ex. Nobody **objects to** a kind act.

403. **Off and on** (*now and then occasionally*)

అప్పుడప్పుడు

Ex. The comedian appears on the stage **off and on** to amuse the audience

404. **Out of the wood** (*thoroughly*)

ప్రమాదము నుండి బయటపడు

Ex. India is not **out of the wood** in the field of food production.

405. **Over head and ears** (*Completely overwhelmed*)

పూర్తిగా

Ex. On account of his carelessness, Gopal is **over head and ears** in debts.

406. **Opposed to** (*fight against to*)

వ్యతిరేకించు

Ex. She is **opposed to** the idea of self-employment.

407. **Open mind** (*accessibility for new ideas*)

కొత్త భావములకు అవకాశము

Ex. He has an **open mind**.

408. **Odd and even** (*a game of chances*)

అదృష్టవశమున గెలుచు

Ex. Chess is not a game of **odd and even**.

409. **On offer** (*for sale*)

అమ్మకమునకు

Ex. This book is **on offer**, cash down, no credit.

0. **Oil or grease one's palm** (*bride*)

లంచమును ఇచ్చు

Ex. The smuggler **greased the palm** of the custom's officer.

11. **Oil the wheels** (*make things go smooth by courtesy*)

సాఫీగా సాగునట్లు చేయు

Ex. Courtesy in social life **oils the wheels** of life.

412. **Open mouth** (*frankness*)

నిష్కపటమైన

Ex. We admire a man with an **open mouth**.

413. **Open heart** (*frankness*)

కల్లాకపటములేని

Ex. A leader is admired when he speaks with an **open heart**.

4. **Order of the day** (*that which is current, in vogue*)

ప్రస్తుతము జరుగుచున్న

Ex. Aping western-culture has become the **order of the day**.

415. Once in a blue moon (very rarerly)

ఎప్పుడో ఒకసారి

Ex. The minister visits his village **once in a blue moon**.

416. On hand (which is available)

వుండు

Ex. Many farmers do not have money **on hand**.

417. On the alert (To be watchful)

అప్రమత్తతో వుండు

Ex. The security forces must be **on the alert**.

418. Out of breath (breathe hard)

ర్వాస అడనంతగా బాధపడు

Ex. The runner felt **out of breath** before he reached his destination.

—P—

419. Pay a deaf ear (Pay no attention)

పట్టించుకొనకపోవు

Ex. Youngsters **pay a deaf ear** to the advice of their elders.

420. To play with fire (to take up a dangerous work)

ప్రమాదమైన పనిని తలపెట్టు

Ex. The terrorists are **playing with fire** by getting help from our enemies.

421. Pay heed to (listen to)

లక్ష్యపెట్టు

Ex. Some countries wont **pay heed** even to the policies of the peace loving countries.

422. Put heads together (think unitedly)

కలసి ఆలోచించు

Ex. All the opposition leaders **put their heads together** to defeat the ruling party.

423. **Put the cart before the horse** (*reverse the procedure*) తలక్రిందుల పద్ధతి

Ex. The tactless leader instead of solving the issue put the cart before the horse.

424. **pass over** (*Over look*)

విస్మరించు

Ex. The authorities **pass over** the claims of the employees for high wages.

425. **pass for** (*be regarded as*)

చెలామణి అగు

Ex. Some illiterates **pass for** educated people owing to their costly dress.

426. **Plan for** (*make preparations for*)

ఏర్పాట్లు చేసికొను

Ex. The students of our class **planned for** an excursion to oty.

427. **pig headed** (*stupid*)

తెలివితక్కువ

Ex. A **pig headed** student cannot understand the inner meaning of some parables.

428. **Pledge** (*to give a gurantee*)

ప్రమాణము చేయు

Ex. Every Minister **pledges** his loyalty to the party and to the government.

429. **Pluck up courage** (*to become brave enough*)

తగినంత ధైర్యమును తెచ్చుకొను

Ex. The young man **plucked up courage** to fight against the enemy.

430. **Pock fun at** (*to ridicule*)

ఎగతాళిచేయు

Ex. The senior students **pock fun at** the new student.

431. **Poke one's nose** (*to interfere in other's affairs*)

ఇతరుల విషయములలో జోక్యము కల్పించుకొను

Ex. It is foolish to **poke one's nose** into all affairs.

432 **Pull a long face** (*to show annoyance or dislike*)

అభిప్రాయము నూచించు

Ex. When an incometax Officer pays a visit to a business firm the business man **pulls a long face**.

433. **Pull down** (*remove by force*)

బలవంతముగా తొలగించు

Ex. The Municipal authorites **pulled down** the unauthorised constructions.

434. **Pull one's leg** (*to deceive others in a playful mood*)

కర్చిత విషయమును నిజమని నమ్మింప జూచుట

Ex. When the tax-payer is told about the abolishment of all taxes it is nothing short of **pulling his leg**.

435 **Pave the way for** (*to prepare for*)

చారిత్రియు

Ex. The Quit India Movement **paved the way for** Indian Independence.

436. **Part with** (*to give up*)

వదిలివేయు

Ex. I cannot **part with** my old car.

437. **Pass for** (*to regard as*)

చలామణి అగు

Ex. The village school master is **passed for** a scholar in the village.

438. **Popular with** (*liked and admired*)

ప్రఖ్యాతి కలిగివుండు

Ex. Nehru was **Popular with** the masses.

439. **Prefer to** (*give importance to*)

ప్రాధాన్యత ఇచ్చు

Ex. People **prefer** Government service to private service.

440. **Pick out** (*to make out*)

ఎన్నుకొను

Ex. The librarian **picked out** good books for the library.

441. **Pick up** (*show improvement*)

అభివృద్ధి చూపు

Ex. In the new place he **picked up** his health.

442. **Pull together** (*to act together*)

సమష్టిగా కృషిచేయు

Ex. Unless we **pull together** we cannot succeed.

443. **Pull throgh** (*to succeed with diffculti*)

జబ్బునుంచి కోలుకొను

Ex. The patient will **pull through** his illness.

444. **Pull down** (*to demolish*)

పడగొట్టు

Ex. It is easy to **pull down** than to bulid up.

445. **Pull on** (*to live*)

ఏదో విధముగా జీవించు

Ex. They are **pulling on** with their work.

446. **to put down** (*to supress by force*)

అణచివేయు

Ex. The revolt was **put down** by the captain of the ship.

147. **to put off** (*to postpone*)

వాయిదాపేయు

Ex. The examination was **put off** by the principal.

448. **to put out** (*to extinguish*)

ఆర్పివేయుట

Ex. The fire was **put out** by the students.

449. **to put up** (*to lodge*)

వసతి, భోజన ఏర్పాటు చేయుట

Ex. We can **put you up** at a hotel.

450. **puts on** (*wear*)

లేనిది తెచ్చి పెట్టుకొను

Ex. My son always **puts on** an air of innocence.

451. **put up with** (*endure*)

సహించు

Ex. I cannot **put up with** his foolishness.

452. **put to** (*but*)

కలిగించు

Ex. I am sorry to **put you to** so much trouble.

453. **Play fast and lose** (*to act inconsistently*)

చపలచి త్రముతో

Ex. If We **play fast and lose** nobody will respect us.

454. **Pros and cons** (*arguments for and against*)

లాభ-నష్టములు

Ex. We must think of the **pros and cons** first.



455. **Queen of grace** (*Virgin Mary*)

మేరీమాత

Ex. She prays to the **queen of grace** for help.

456. **Queen of Heaven** (*June*)

పార్వతి వంటి ఒక దేవత

Ex. She is as beautiful as the **queen of Heaven**.

457. **qualified for** (*fit for*)

అర్హత కలిగి వుండు

Ex. He is **qualified for** the post of a doctor.

458. **To quench thirst** (*to satisfy a desire*)

దప్పిక తీరు-కొంక తీరు

Ex. Though he has read many books his love for knowledge has not quenched.

459. **To suppress query** (*to hide facts*)

వాస్తవములను దాచుట

Ex. It is not advisable to suppress query.

460. **Quote the devil** (*Justify one's own evil acts*)

తన తప్పును సమర్థించుకొనుటకు గొప్ప విషయములు ఉదహరించు

Ex. A villain quotes the devil to justify his acts.

461. **To the quick** (*to the heart*)

హృదయమును గాయపఱచు

Ex. The insult stung the boy to the quick.

462. **Quarrel over** (*to find fault*)

తగవుపడు

Ex. It is foolish to quarrel over a silly incident.

—R—

463. **Rank and file** (*the important as well as the humble*)

సామాన్య ప్రజలు

Ex. The rank and file turned up to see the new minister.

464. **Raw youth** (*inexperienced youth*)

అనుభవము లేని యువత

Ex. Many a raw youth looks down upon aged people.

465. **root and branch** (*completely*)

సమూలముగా

Ex. We cannot control corruption root and branch.

466. **run short** (*to exhaust too soon*)

తగ్గిపోవు

Ex. The business man run short of his capital owing to bad debts.

467. **run down** (*to become weak*)

అనారోగ్యముగా వుండు

Ex. Rama seems much **run down** in health.468. **run into** (*to collide with*)

ఇబ్బందులతో పడు

Ex. Gopal has **run into** many debts.469. **run up** (*have gone up*)

పెరుగుట

Ex. Recently my expenses have **run up** considerably.470. **Round off** (*complete*)

పూర్తిచేయు

Ex. The dancer has **rounded off** her performance.471. **Rainy day** (*time of pecuniary need*)

కష్టకాలమునకు

Ex. We must save none against a **rainy day**.472. **Rain or shine** (*whether no bar, rain or shine*)

ఎలాంటి స్థితిలో నైనను

Ex. **Rain or shine** we must save our country.473. **Reaping hook** (*destiny*)

విధి

Ex. Man is a puppet in the **reaping hook**474. **Red with rage** (*flushed with indignation*)

అధిర కోపముతో

Ex. The officer is **red with rage**475. **Rave about** (*to express anger*)

కోపమును ప్రదర్శించు

Ex. The Officer **raved about** the peon's carelessness476. **Rave about** (*to sing in praise of some one with great joy*) అనందముగా పొగడుEx. Young people **rave about** their favourite cine heroes.

477. **Read between the lines** (*Try to get at the hidden meaning*) నిజమైన అర్థము కౌటకు ప్రయత్నించు

Ex. You are advised to **read between the lines** to understand the real meaning of the poem.

478. **Run off** (*flee*)

పాటిపోవు

Ex. Hearing the gun sound the enemies **ran off**.

479. **Run through** (*spend away*)

ఖర్చు పెట్టేవేయ

Ex. The rich heir has **run through** all his property in a few months.

480. **Run over** (*overflow of contents*)

పొంగిపొరలు

Ex. The reservoir is **running over**.

481. **Ran over** (*passed over*)

మీద నుంచి దాడిపోవు

Ex. The motor **ran over** a young boy.

482. **Run through** (*examine hurriedly*)

త్వరత్వరగా పరీక్షించు

Ex. The auditor **ran through** the accounts.

483. **Run across** (*met by chance*)

అనకొకుండా కలుసుకొను

Ex. He **ran across** his old friend by chance.

484. **Run out** (*exhausted*)

విలువలు లేకపోవుట

Ex. The shop **ran out** of all stocks of wheat.

485. **Rule out** (*eliminate*)

తీసివేయ

Ex. Any agreement between the two rival groups is **ruled out**.

486. **Run up to** (*amount out*)

ఖర్చు అంతవఱకు అగు

Ex. The food items she had bought **ran up to** large amount.

487. **Red-handed** (*in the process of commission of a crime*) నేరము చేస్తూ వుండగా

Ex. The officer was caught **red-handed** while he was taking a bribe.

488. **Reign of terror** (*period of sanguinary excess by revolutionaries or reactionaries*)

భయంకర వాతావరణము

Ex. The terrorists let loose a **reign of terror** in Punjab.

489. **Right and left** (*both sides, on both sides*)

అన్నివైపుల నుండి

Ex. They attacked the fort **right and left**.

490. **Right arm** (*strong supporter*)

కుడిభుజము వంటిది

Ex. Nehru was the **right arm** of Gandhi.

491. **Roof of the world** (*high mountain ranges*)

ఉన్నత పర్వత శ్రేణిలో వుండు

Ex. Though Tibet is a small country it is known as the **Roof of the world**.

492. **Roll of Honour** (*list of those who have died for the country*) దేశము కొసం పాణత్యాగం చేసినవారి జాబితా

Ex. The President gives medals to the wives of the military officers whose names are in the **roll of honour**.

—S—

493. **See through** (*not to be deceived by*)

కనుగొను

Ex. I **saw through** your trick.

494. to see off (to start on a journey)

వీడ్కోలు చెప్పుటకు వచ్చు

Ex. I went to the station to see my friend off.

495. to see to (to attend to)

దృఢపఱచుకొను

Ex. Please see to it that the letter is sent.

496. to set about (to start)

ప్రారంభించు

Ex. We set about to read the lesson.

497. to set off (to begin a journey)

యాత్రకు బయలుదేరు

Ex. They set off on a long pilgrimage.

498. to set aside (to cancel)

తొలగించు - రద్దుచేయు

Ex. The High Court set aside the appointment of the officer.

499. scot free (without punishment)

శిక్ష లేకుండా

Ex. We should not allow the criminals go scot free.

500. Set apart (to reserve)

ప్రత్యేకముగా కేటాయించు

Ex. Some seats are set apart for the backward students.

501. Set up (to establish)

విస్తాటుచేయు

Ex. He has set up a shop.

502. Set off (start the journey)

ప్రయాణము సాగించు

Ex. The tourists set off to Madras.

503. **send for** (*ask somebody to come*)

కలురు పెట్టు

Ex. As Rama is badly hurt we **sent for** the doctor.

504. **Sealed book** (*a subject not disclosed*)

రహస్యముగా వుంచబడిన

Ex. The report of the Commission is a **sealed book**.

505. **Stand up for** (*Champion the cause*)

ప్రతినిధిగా పోరాడు

Ex. Ambedkar determined to **stand up** for the rights of the poor.

506. **Slip of the tongue** (*slight error while speaking*)

మాట పొరపాటు

Ex. I fell sorry for this **slip of the tongue**.

507. **Sticks to one's guns** (*to adhere to*)

దృఢ సంకల్పముతో వుండు

Ex. Brave people **stick to** their guns in spite of great odds.

508. **Square deal** (*honest*)

న్యాయసమ్మతమైన బేరము

Ex. The honest business man gives a **square deal** to all customers.

509. **Second nature** (*acquired tendency that has become instinctive*) అసంకల్పితము

Ex. It has become **second nature** with him to have the dairy.

510. **Seventh heaven** (*fell extreme joy*)

అవదులు లేని ఆనందము

Ex. The news of his appointment for the post n him feel **seventh heaven**.

511. Sharp practice (*cheating*)

నిజాయితీ లేని

Ex. Some lawyers are known for their **sharp practice**.

512. Safe and sound (*secure*)

క్షేమముగా వుండు

Ex. Our deposits are **safe and sound** in the State Bank.

513. Salad days (*inexperienced youth*)

అనుభవములేని యువత

Ex. The young man is still in his **salad days**.

514. Stand against (*with stand*)

తట్టుకొని నిలచు

Ex. No country in the world could **stand against** Hitler.

515. Stands by (*support*)

బలపఱచు

Ex. We want true friends who **Stand by** us in our troubles.

516. Stand for (*Present oneself as a candidate for*)

అభ్యర్థిగా నిలబడు

Ex. He stood for our constituency.

517. Stand out against (*strongly oppose*)

తీవ్రముగా వ్యతిరేకించు

Ex. He **stood against** the introduction of the new taxation bill.

518. Stand up for (*defend*)

బలపఱచు

Ex. He always **stands up for** the rights of the people.

519. **Strike at** (*aim a blow at*)

పెట్టు కొట్టడం ప్రయత్నించు

Ex. He tried to **struck at** me on my head but I escaped the blow.

520. **Struck down** (*Attack*)

పెట్టు కొట్టు

Ex. The poor man was **struck down** with Malaria.

521. **Strike off** (*remove*)

తొలగించు

Ex. They **strike off** his name from the list.

522. **Strike out** (*erase*)

తీసివేయు

Ex. The author **strike out** some of the poems from his book.

523. **Speaks well of** (*put in a favourable light*)

చిగురు తెలియజేయు

Ex. His honesty **speaks well of** him.

524. **speak up** (*speak more loudly*)

చిగ్గిడగా మాట్లాడు

Ex. **Speak up** sir ! We cannot hear your speech.

—T—

525. **take after** (*to resemble*)

పోలిపెట్టు

Ex. The boy **takes after** his father.

526. **to take in** (*to deceive*)

మోసగించుట

Ex. He was **taken in** when he bought some old car.

527. **to take over** (*to take control*)

అధిపత్యము తీసికొను

Ex. He **took over** as the principal.

528. to take to (*to get into a habit*)

అలవాటుపడు

Ex. In spite of my warnings he **took to** smoking.

529. to turn down (*to reject*)

తిరస్కరించు

Ex. He **turned down** the proposal of his friend.

530. to turn up (*to arrive unexpectedly*)

అనుకోకుండా వచ్చు

Ex. The missing captain **turned up** at the army camp.

531. tell upon (*to effect*)

దెబ్బతీయు

Ex. His hard work **told upon** his health.

532. Ten to one (*Most probably*)

ఎక్కువ శాతము

Ex. **Ten to one** Rama will pass the test.

533. to take task (*to punish*)

చివాట్లుపెట్టు, శిక్షించు

Ex. The servant was **taken to task** for his misbehaviour.

534. Throw cold water (*to discourage*)

నిరుత్సాహపఱచు

Ex. Some parents **throw cold water** when their children make proposal for an excursion.

535. take to heels (*to run away*)

పాతిపొప్ప

Ex. The thief **took to heels** when he saw a police man.

536. turn against (*become hostile*)

వ్యతిరేకించు

Ex. Rama's friends **turned against** him.

537. **through and through** (*thoroughly*)

పూర్తిగా

Ex. I am studying all subjects **through and through** to get more marks.

538. **turn one's head** (*to make one vain*)

గర్వము కరిగించు

Ex. Sita's marriage with a rich man **turns her head**.

539. **Take bird's eye view** (*to have a general survey*)

స్థూలదృష్టితో

Ex. We must **take a bird's eye view** of the policies of the new government.

540. **to and fro** (*to oscillate*)

ఒకవైపు నుండి మరొకవైపుకు

Ex. The pendulum of the clock moves **to and fro**.

541. **through thick and thin** (*through every obstacle*)

ఇబ్బందులు ఎదుర్కొను

Ex. The poor boy has to **pass through thick and thin** to earn his living.

542. **tight fisted** (*a miserly person*)

పిసినారి

Ex. The old man is known for his **tight fistedness**.

543. **Throw it off** (*get rid off*)

వదిలించుకొను

Ex. I cannot **throw off** my bad cold.

544. **Teddy bear** (*a child's toy bear*)

పిల్లలు ఆడుకొను ఎలుగుబంటు

Ex. Children like **teddy bears**.

545. **Thirsty work** (*causing and adding to thirst*)

తీరని దాహము వంటి

Ex. Money making is a **thirsty work**.

546. Thick skinned (insensitive)

మొరటువాడు

Ex. He is a **thick skinned** fellow so no amount of good advice works on him.

547. Thoroughbred (high-spirited)

ఉన్నత ఆశయములుగల

Ex. As a child Tagore was a **throughbred**.

548. Take down (write)

వ్రాయు

Ex. You must **take down** the dictation.

549. Took off (left the ground)

నేలమీద నుంచి లేచు

Ex. The plane **took off** the ground and flew.

550. took over (acquired)

పొందెను

Ex. The young man **took over** the business of his father.

551. take up (occupies)

ఆక్రమించు

Ex. The new cot **took up** too much room.

—U—

552. Ups and downs (misfortunes)

ఒడిదొడుకులు

Ex. An employee was to face many ups and downs in this work.

553. Under one's nose? (directly in front of one)

కళ్ళ ఎదుటే

Ex. The police beat the leader **under the very nose** of the workers.

554. **Upper hand** (*get control*)

పైచేయి

Ex. The Chief Minister will have **upper hand** in the affairs of the state.

555. **Ugly job** (*unpleasant job*)

నీచమైన పని

Ex. It is an **ugly Job** to have to work under a dishonest officer.

556. **Unless and until** (*under the condition*)

అంతవఱకు

Ex. The student will not be allowed to take the test **unless and until** he pays the fee.

557. **Upside down** (*in total disorder / disarray*)

క్రమము తప్పిన

Ex. The child has turned the house **upside down**.

558. **Under a cloud** (*in suspicion*)

అనుమానాస్పదముగా

Ex. The integrity of some ministers is **under cloud**.

559. **Underdog** (*one playing a subordinate role*)

క్రింది స్థాయివారు

Ex. We must help the **underdog**.

560. **Utmost limits** (*extreme boundary*)

చివరి సరిహద్దు వఱకు

Ex. In spite of the troubles he exhibited his patience to the **utmost limits**.

561. **Universal applause** (*general admiration*)

విశ్వవిఖ్యాతమైన పొగడ్తలు

Ex. Vivekananda's speech in the religion of parliaments drew **universal applause**

562. **Up and down** (*troubles*)

కష్టములొ

Ex. One has to face many **ups and downs** in one's life.

563. **Ultra vires** (*against / law*)

చట్ట విరుద్ధము

Ex According to the latest Act it is **ultra vires** for anybody either giving or taking dowry.

564. **Ultra modern** (*extremely modern in manners and out look*) అధునిక భావములుగల

Ex. Many young people are **ultra modern** in their outlook.

565. **unassuming** (*modest*)

నిగర్వి

Ex. Nehru was **unassuming** inspite of his great scholarship.

566. **Urge on** (*to press forward*)

బలవంత పెట్టు

Ex. With a whip in his hand he **urged on** his horse to run fast.

567. **To live in Utopia** (*to live in a dream land*)

ఊహలోకములో వుండు

Ex. It is foolish to **live in Utopia**.

568. **Utter misery** (*complete misery*)

పూర్తిగా పేదరికము

Ex. Majority of Indian farmers live in **utter misery**.

569. **Utter absurdity** (*complete foolishness*)

పూర్తిగా తెలివితక్కువతనము

Ex Many young people cannot understand the **utter absurdity** of their dreams.

570. **to give utterance to** (*to express*)

వ్యక్తముచేయు

Ex. The workers **gave utterance to** their grievances.

571. **Use up** (*exhausted*)

ఖర్చుబిచ్చోపు

Ex. During the war all our amunitions were **used up**.

581. **Valley of the shadow of death** (*extreme affliction*)

ఎక్కడ దుఃఖమును కలిగించు

Ex. Many drug addicts live in the **valley of the shadow of death**.582. **Velvet paw** (*cruelly veiled under suave manners*)

మేక వన్నె పులుల పంటి

Ex. We must be aware of the politicians of the **Velvet paw**.583. **Vice versa** (*the other way round*)

అందుకు బదులుగా

Ex. He calls right wrong and **vice versa**.584. **Via media** (*between extremes*)

మధ్యేమార్గము

Ex. A mediator must find out a **via media** for compromising the two rivals.585. **Voluminous work** (*of writer producing many books*)

అపార రచనలు

Ex. Even popular writers get little money from their **voluminous work**.586. **Vain attempt** (*useless trial*)

వృధాయత్నము చేయు

Ex. Many reformers made **vain attempts** to reform society.587. **a vested interest** (*having some personal interest apart from official interest*) వ్యక్తిగతలాభముEx. The minister has some **vested interest** in getting the new appointments.

—W—

588. **Wide of the mark** (*far from what is aimed at*)

గమ్యమునకు దూరముగా

Ex. The boy aims on engineering seat but his marks are **wide of the mark**.

589. **Work out** (*to solve*)

పరిష్కరించు

Ex. Rama **worked out** the problem very easily.590. **Win laurels** (*to successful to achieve success*)

క్రీడి గడించు

Ex. Gandhiji **won laurels** by his selfless service.591. **Wade through book** (*read a book despite its dullness*) బాగుండకపోయినను తప్పక చదువుEx. The students **wade through** some books for their examination.592. **Well-wadded with conceit** (*very proud*)

అమిత గర్వముగా వుండు

Ex. As She is very rich she is **well-wadded with conceit**.593. **Wade into** (*attack energetically*)

అమితోత్సాహముతో ప్రారంభించు

Ex. Young workers often **wade into** their work.594. **To wait upon** (*to attend to*)

వేచివుండు

Ex. The P.A. **waits upon** the Chief Minister.595. **To lie in wait** (*ambush*)

శత్రువులను హఠాత్తుగా ముట్టడించుటకు పొంచివుండు

Ex. The leader **lies in wait** for his enemies.596. **To wade in** (*to make a vigorous attack*)

త్రివముగా ముట్టడించు

Ex. In the Parliament the opposition leader **waded in on** the Home Minister.597. **Warm descriptions** (*intended to appeal to amorous feelings*) ఇంద్రియములను రెచ్చగొట్టుEx. All modern novels are full of **warm descriptions**.598. **Weak heart** (*coward mind*)

పీడికవాడు

Ex. Only the brave will come up but not the **weakheart**.

599. Wild goose chase (*a foolish venture*)

వ్యర్థ ప్రయత్నము

Ex. To reason with fool is like a **wild goose chase**.

600. with open arms (*with a warm welcome*)

హృదయపూర్వకముగా

Ex. The new leader was received by the public with **open arms**.

601. Well to do (*rich*)

ధనికుడు

Ex. Only a few **well to do** people are kind to the poor.

602. Wind fall (*unexpected piece of good fortune*)

అనుకోని నీరి

Ex. Rama had a **wind fall** of one thousand rupees by winning a lottery.

603. White elephant (*a dignity which is very costly*)

భరించలేని ఖర్చు

Ex. Now-a-days even a moped proves to be a **white elephant**.

604. Worth one's salt (*very efficient*)

సామర్థ్యము

Ex. Patel was a leader **worth his salt**.

605. Wax and Wane (*increase and decrease*)

తగ్గుతూ - పెరుగుతూ

Ex. The popularity of a political leader **waxes and wanes**

606. Wear out (*use till usable no longer*)

కాలము చెల్లిన

Ex. Our modern system of education has **worn out**.

607. Wear and tear (*damage sustained as the result of ordinary use*) వాడకము వలన కలగెడి ఖర్చు

Ex. I spend all my pocket money for the **wear and tear** of my Luna.

—X—

608. To give an **X-ray** examination (*to give a searching test*) శల్కపరిక్ష

Ex. Every statement cannot be given an **X-ray** examination.

609. To play **Xanthippe** (*to be shrewish, quarrelsome*) గయ్యాళిగా ప్రవర్తించు

Ex. Some clever women seek their ends by **plying** **Xanthippe**.

—Y—

610. Year in and year out (*year by year*) ప్రతి సంవత్సరము

Ex. Some students appear for the examination **year** in and year out.

611. Yes men (*Obedient persons*) వంతలు పాడువారు

Ex. Some rich people like to have **yes men** around them.

612. Young blood (*youth*) యువకులు

Ex. A country's progress depends on the **young blood**.

613. Yeoman service (*excellent service*) అపార సేవ

Ex. Gandhi has done **yeoman service** for our country.

614. Yardstick (*standard of comparison*) కొలబద్ధ

Ex. A degree is an **yardstick** to measure our standards.

615. Yield to (*submit*) లొంగిపోవు

Ex. Let us not **yield** to bad influences.

616. Yellow press (*sensational newspaper*) తప్పుడు వార్తలు వ్రాయు పత్రిక

Ex. Our Government is against the **yellow press**.

617. Year in and year out (year by year)

వరుసగా సంవత్సరము పాటు

Ex. The poor farmer has to bear all the troubles year in and year out.

518. Yes man (obedient person) అతి విధేయులు

Ex. In every party there are some yes-men.

519. Year by year (year after year)

సంవత్సరము తరువాత సంవత్సరము

Ex. Our country is progressing year by year.

520. To spin yarns (to tell tales) కల్పిత కథలు అల్లు

Ex. Some cheats could always spin a nice yarn.

—Z—

21. Zeal for (to have passionate order) ఉత్సాహము

Ex. He has great zeal for helping others.

22. At the Zenith (at the heightest point) ఉత్తమస్థితిలో

Ex. Indian culture was at the-Zenith in the reign of the Gupta emperors.

23. with zest and zeal (with great fervour)

ఎక్కువ ఆసక్తితో, పట్టుదలతో

Ex. Great man no all their work with zest at zeal.

4. Zigzag (with abrupt alternate right and left turns)

వంపులు, మెలికలు

Ex. The Zigzag curves cause accidents.

5. To add zest to (to make interesting)

పరమానందము కలిగించు

Ex. Wisemen say "Danger adds zest to life."

6. To become zero (to end in smoke) నిరాశ కలిగించు

Ex. All our hopes have become zero when I failed to get a medical seat.

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